

Mr. Bowie presented a petition of certain citizens of Anne Arundel county, praying the repeal of the law limiting the time of service of Inspectors of Tobacco, in the city of Baltimore,

Which was read and referred to the committee already appointed on that subject.

Mr. Berret presented a petition of sundry citizens of Carroll county praying that the commissioners of the tax for said county, may be elected by the people;

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Berret, Shower and Boyle of Carroll.

Mr. Iglehart presented a petition of sundry citizens of Prince George's and Anne Arundel counties, praying the passage of a law authorising the re-building a bridge over Patuxent river, at or near Bealmear's mill, at the joint expense of said counties;

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Iglehart, Ghiselin and Higgins.

Mr. Mann presented a petition of Samuel Read and others, citizens of Washington county, praying the passage of an act authorising the Botanical or Thompsonian system to be practised by persons not members of the Medical Faculty;

Which was read and referred to the committee already appointed on that subject;

On motion of Mr. Mann, said committee was enlarged to five, by adding thereto, Messrs. Selby and Duke.

On motion of Mr. Sprigg,

Ordered, that the treasurer be directed to furnish the committee on the currency, with copies of the last annual statements of the Banks of this State.

On motion of Mr. Sprigg,

Ordered, that the committee on currency have leave to sit during the sitting of the house, and to visit such place or places as they may deem necessary to a proper investigation of the several subjects committed to their charge.

Mr. Causin obtained leave to bring in a bill, supplemental to the act of 1869, chap. 138;

Ordered, that Messrs. Causin, Maulsby, Bowie, Giles and Kerr report the same.

Mr. Sprigg obtained leave to bring in a bill, to be entitled, a further supplement to an act, to incorporate the George's Creek Mining Company;

Ordered, that Messrs. Sprigg, Hillen and Huddleson report the same.

Mr. Bowie obtained leave to bring in a bill, entitled, an act supplementary to an act, entitled, an act relating to free negroes and slaves, passed at December session, 1831, chap. 323;

Ordered, that Messrs. Bowie, Mann and Tall report the same.

On motion of Mr. Simmons,

Ordered, that the special committee on the State's Tobacco Warehouses and Inspections, be directed to enquire into the expediency of condemning a portion of the wharves adjoining said